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PUBLIC MANNERS AND ELDERLY PEOPLE.

An elderly man who walks quite feebly, using a cane a good deal of the time, complained to the writer the other day of the heedlessness of the public school children.

"I was going along the street," he said, "when a bunch of them came along four abreast. I was feeling pretty weak and dizzy, but they just forced me off into the gutter, and one of them switched his arms so that they knocked my cane out of my hand. Never stopped to pick it up or to say 'Excuse me,' either."

It was not long ago that an aged lady also spoke of the way she felt she had made herself ridiculous in crossing a street.

"I suppose I did get flustered," she admitted, "and probably I made a fool of myself. I just couldn't help it. But I couldn't look all around at once, and when I first saw the automobile it was within about five feet of me. I know I ought to have gone right ahead, but instead of that I lost my wits and drew back, and the machine had to stop sharp, and let me get out of the way. Then I could hear them laughing at me."

Incidents like these must occur to the minds of most people. As far as the children are concerned, the teachers can do something. It is a damage to a boy or a girl to grow up without a sense of reverence for older people. The oldest can get along without the young people's respect, but the youngsters will suffer a loss if they do not cultivate the friendship of older persons.

Unfortunate this lack of consideration for the older people is not confined to the little ones. There are a great many grownups to whom gray hairs mean nothing. The world is a race in which the devil takes the hindmost. If you are handicapped by your failing muscles, that is your misfortune, not my fault.

The true gentleman or lady scarcely ever insists on the full measure of his rights. He would rather lose the best seat in the car or the first place at the ticket window, if he must nudge and elbow and jostle to get it.

Leslie Combs, Progressive National Committeeman, is in Chicago today to meet George W. Perkins and to attend the meeting of the Progressive National Committee tomorrow. Before leaving Mr. Combs stated that he did not believe the Progressives would request the nomination of Theodore Roosevelt for President as a part of the get-together program with the Republicans, but he believed the two parties would reunite on an acceptable basis and that a nominee attractive even to thousands of Democrats would be selected at the Chicago convention in June.—Lexington Leader.

The administration "was at the high tide of popularity" six months ago; "since then there has been a steady ebb," says the New York Globe. There may be some disagreement over the dates, but there is none as to the facts.

It is remarked that the high cost of living agitated the ancients, but they could always be quieted down by getting up a costly foreign war.

Many cities are adopting battle cries as business "boosters." For some of our neighbors "bottle cries" would be more popular.

When the compositors don't have much to do, it is always a good plan to put the obituaries of some more aviators into type.

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January 5, 1916.

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ITEMS FROM
ALL AROUND

Seven-foot Snake.

(Marion Falcon.)
While Hugh Stine, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Stine of Gravel Switch, was out baiting his traps one day last week he found an immense cow snake coiled in the end of a hollow log. He dragged the snake out and killed it. The snake measured full seven feet long.

Fine Work.

(Manchester Democrat.)
Beautiful specimens of heraldic work done by Lucien Beckner have been admired by all who have seen them. There is not in the state of Kentucky one whose mind is such a storehouse of historic information, and he has been genealogically engaged by many persons. This heraldic work is pleasantly linked with this pursuit.

Turkeys Still Trotting.

(Falmouth Outlook.)
Mrs. V. E. Britton of Butler, R. D. No. 1, has surely raised the heavy-weight turkeys in this section, if not in the state. She sold twenty-two birds that averaged sixteen and one-third pounds and brought her an average of \$3.03 a head. These are turkey-trotters with ball-bearing joints, and are throwing dust in the eyes of all other turkey raisers that have been reported to the press of the state. If anybody can beat this record let us hear from them.

Good Averages.

(Falmouth Outlook.)
G. W. Hanker, near Doughsville, was in town Tuesday and coughed up a wagon wheel for a year's subscription with the best of graces. He was feeling good over the fact that he had just sold his crop of tobacco on the loose leaf market at the Falmouth house for \$12.60 per hundred pounds. C. A. Daugherty and D. M. Daugherty were trailing a little in the rear, with averages of 10% and 9% cents. They, too, were wearing one of those smiles that won't come off.

Married 61 Years Ago.

(Carrollton Democrat.)
James H. Spicer of Whites Run was in Thursday to renew his subscription to the Democrat. He has been a subscriber for forty-seven years. He was married sixty-one years ago. Both he and his wife are still in good health. His family have all made good men and women. He has been blessed in many ways and may he and his good wife see the return of many more happy New Year's.

Big Corn Shipments.

(Henderson Gleaner.)
There are between 17,000 and 20,000 bushels of corn at the L. & N. wharfboat waiting to be delivered to the local elevators and approximately 14,000 bushels more due to arrive from down river points today.

Most all of this corn was received from down the river, some coming from Tulsa and other small towns below Mt. Vernon and Uniontown. Eight thousand bushels of the corn are stored in the wharf and the remainder is on three barges anchored to the wharf.

Prized Gift.

(Falmouth Pendletonian.)
Mrs. Charles Ewing of Hightower, has one gift, among the season's presentations, that is especially prized, and which will be a treasure to her throughout the future years of her life. It is a quilt made for her by her 94-year-old grandmother, Mrs. Stanley. The aged lady, so remarkably well preserved at this advanced age, now lives in Missouri, but her former home was in Pendleton county. Her daughter, Mrs. Minerva Baskett, resides at Boyd, and the latter's son, Jesse Baskett, is connected with the tobacco warehouse industry of Falmouth. The hosts of friends and relatives throughout Pendleton and Harrison counties will be glad to have this bit of cheerful news that Mrs. Stanley, at the age of 94 years, is still able to find placid employment in life.

Steel Removed From Eye.

(Madisonville Hustler.)
Andrew Crenshaw, it will be remembered, suffered an injury to his eye some two years or more ago, due to a piece or pieces of steel wedge flying off and into his eye. Since that time his eye has never gotten entirely well, and has given him more or less pain and trouble all the time since. So a few days ago he discovered that some foreign particle was making or about to make its appearance, so he came here for examination and a local physician, Dr. M. Brown, found and removed a piece of steel from Mr. Crenshaw's eye almost as large as a small grain of wheat. The piece of steel was slightly rusted and the wonder is that it did not give Mr. Crenshaw more trouble than it did. Mr. Crenshaw thinks now his eye feels better than it did since first it got hurt.

OUR DAILY BIRTHDAY PARTY
January 13.

Colonel Sir Neville Chamberlain, member of the central board of control, to curb the drinking of liquor in the munitions and camp areas of the British army, is 60 years old today. He has been a soldier and diplomat all his life, and did notable work as private secretary to Lord Roberts during the South African war. Sir Neville was inspector general of the Royal Irish Constabulary when the war broke out. His nineteen years with Lord Roberts had trained him to handle large plans and when the British government decided to curb the use of liquor during the war, he was chosen, with large employers of labor, social workers, scientists and labor leaders to carry out the work. Sir Neville was born on January 13, 1856, the son of a lieutenant in the Indian army. He entered the army at 17 and served as interpreter, staff officer and organizer of territorial troops under Lord Roberts for twenty-seven years.

Harry A. Storrs, coast defense engineer for the United States, 55 years old today.

Dr. Ross G. Harrison, Yale anatomist, 46 years old today.

Prof. Wilhelm Wein, German scientist and Nobel prize winner, 52 years old today.

Major General William P. Duval, U. S. A., retired, 69 years old today.

Lord Richard Nevill, controller to the Duke of Connaught, 52 years old today.

Princess Arthur of Connaught, son of the Governor General of Canada, 33 years old today.

THIS DATE IN HISTORY.

January 13.

1691—Died George Fox, founder of the Quakers. He traveled in a leather doublet and his belief took deep root wherever he spoke.

1804—Modern printers' ink was first used in Philadelphia by Jacob Johnson.

1814—Emperor of Russia and King of Prussia crossed the Rhine as allies to conquer France.

1840—Steamer Lexington disaster, 141 lives lost in Long Island Sound.

1862—Edwin M. Stanton became Secretary of War for the United States.

1908—Panic at Boyerstown Theater, Philadelphia, 167 killed.

1913—Federal Judge Robert W. Archbold was impeached by the United States Senate.

1915—Zapata's troops evacuate Mexico City; Gutierrez reappointed provisional president by Villa-Zapata convention.

1915—38,000 persons killed, 50,000 injured by earthquake in central Italy.

1915—The War—Two German submarines reported sunk by Dover batteries. French troops retreat before attack of Germans east of Soissons. Count Berchold, Austrian minister of Foreign Affairs, resigns, succeeded by Baron Burian, a Hungarian.

POINTED POINTS.

Lady Eglington, the \$100,000 hen, would be worth just \$1.50 for a chicken stew.

This being a presidential year, the pivotal states are preparing to pivot as soon as the orchestra strikes up.

On one kind of preparedness all neutral countries are united, and that is preparedness to welcome the end of the war.

Some day, perhaps, when the Culobra cut stops sliding, it may be possible to figure out the total cost of the Panama canal.

Money itself doesn't make a fool of a man, but it sometimes affords him the means and opportunity of making a fool of himself.

It hasn't escaped notice that the New Year has advanced as far in places where it wasn't welcomed with a flood of champagne as it has in some of the big cities.

The sardine packing business is reported to have been an almost complete failure in Norway, but in the New York subway it is being conducted as actively as ever.

A New York girl complains because a man addressed a business letter to her in the words "Dear Miss." But how can one call these chiffling fur-trimmed kittens, "Madam?"

The man who says a workingman could support a family comfortably on \$12 per week never figured on the fact that a woman can't go down to buy a 2-cent yeast cake without putting on a \$12 hat.

It may have been merely a coincidence, but the announcement that a collection of many thousands of bottles had been placed in the Smithsonian Institution in Washington came simultaneously with the entrance of seven new states into the prohibition column.

MID-WINTER

CLEARANCE SALE

WILL START SATURDAY, JANUARY 6

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Children's Coats 99c up.
Ladies' Plush Coats, to close out, \$15 quality \$7.98.
Children's good Gingham Dresses 50c, all sizes.
Best quality Wash Silk Waists 88c.
\$5 Muffs, to close out, \$2.98.
\$2 Muffs, to close out, \$1.25.
Children's Muff Sets, \$4 and \$5 sets, to close out, \$1.98.
See our Ladies' Fur Sets in the window for \$3.98 and \$4.98 a set; worth more than double the price.
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